

## GET ONE O' THESE WRIST WATCHES

The Independent Will Give Away a Few More Fine Bracelet Watches

So many women readers of THE INDEPENDENT expressed disappointment at the result of the closing of THE INDEPENDENT'S bracelet watch club, that Mr. Saunders has decided to offer a limited number of watches to those who will put in a few hours work for this newspaper during the month of January.

The watches to be given away are a seven-jewel Swiss Movement in a beautifully carved ten-year case. It is even a prettier watch than the first lot.

All you have to do to get one of these watches is to write to Mr. Saunders telling him you will try to win the watch. Then get busy among your friends and neighbors and get them to subscribe to THE INDEPENDENT, paying you \$1.50 each for a twelve months' subscription. Old subscribers may renew their subscriptions thru you. When you have turned in twenty-four subscribers at \$1.50 each, making \$36 in all, THE INDEPENDENT will give you your seven-jewel, ten-year guaranteed Swiss movement watch with the bracelet.

Many girl readers of this newspaper have found it the easiest sort of work getting subscribers to THE INDEPENDENT. But if you are going to work notify Mr. Saunders at once so that you will not have to wait for your watch.

### FRANK GODFREY CHORY

Frank G. Chory died at his home on Glade St., in this city, on Christmas Eve morning, at the age of 51. He had been ill for several years, during most of which time he was confined to his home. He is survived by a wife and three children. The latter are Mercer, Merrill and Everett Chory, all of this city. The funeral was conducted at the home Monday morning; the burial in Hollywood Cemetery.

### Surely Would.

The optimist says to remember that even if your mother-in-law has the gift of tongue, it would be a lot worse if she was a mind reader.

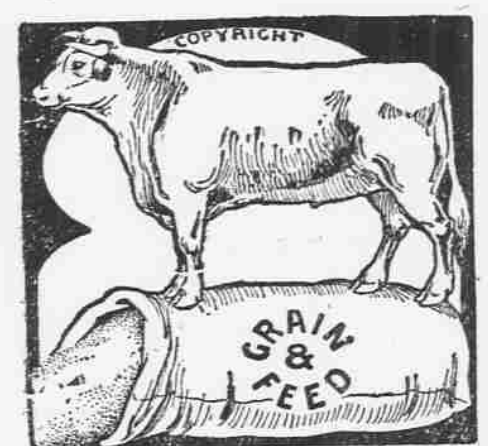
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## HE KEEPS THE BOYS LOOKING FIT



D. WALTER HARRIS

D. WALTER gets his picture in this newspaper again this week because he has taken another step forward. Instead of pushing a nondescript line of ready-to-wear clothing in connection with his custom tailoring business, Mr. Harris has taken on the Elizabeth City agency for Alfred, Decker & Cohn Co., makers of the famous Society Brand Clothes. This is the line featured by Shulman Co. in Norfolk and by many of the best men's clothiers thruout America. The line was formerly half-heartedly represented by one Elizabeth City concern which thought it was too good for Elizabeth City. Walter Harris says nothing is too good for Elizabeth City and that Society Brand Clothes will be worn extensively by Elizabeth City men.



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Graham Flour.  
Graham derives its name from a Connecticut clergyman who advocated the use of unbleached white flour as more conducive to health than white flour. His contentions have been fully borne out by recent discoveries in regard to vitamins. Much of the so-called Graham flour sold now is, however, merely white flour mixed with a little bran, or flour so coarsely ground as to be unpalatable.

### Telling Age of Trees.

Trees often live to a great age, and while they are standing it is a difficult matter to arrive at their age, but when they have been cut down, it is said, the age may be reckoned by counting the number of rings visible in the section.—Indianapolis News.

### A Distinction.

The aim of book reviewing is to engage in discussion of our contemporaries, and this is why book reviewing, which is a department of journalism, must be carefully distinguished from criticism, which is a department of literature.—Brander Matthews.

### Blood to Spare.

Persons with high blood pressure, if otherwise perfectly healthy, are excellent donors of blood when this is needed for transfusion. And the resultant loss of blood may save the life of a man or woman of 60 by preventing apoplexy.

### Emeralds in Aztec Treasures.

Among the Aztec treasures of Mexico exquisitely cut emeralds were found and it is from this source that the magnificent emeralds now forming a part of the royal collection of Spain were supposed to have come.

### Women Careful With Letters.

Women, as a rule, are more careful in addressing their letters than are the men, according to a veteran attache of the dead letter office in Washington.

### Real Victory in Life.

The true overcoming is not in shaping outward things to suit our will, but in living out our life patiently, trustfully, and kindly, through whatever the outward things may be.—Exchange.

### Clever.

Correspondent thinks that the person who invented the phrase "Say it with flowers", probably noticed that "floral" is largely "oral."—Boston Transcript.

### Best Picture Wire.

They have recently been experimenting in England on the best support for pictures, and the Scientific American says it was found that plain copper wire in one strand is far superior to twisted brass wire, and copper wire is of course not liable to rust.

### Canada's Big Game.

Throughout Canada from 1,000 to 1,500 moose are killed annually, but the game are protected and are hunted under certain restrictions that are rigidly enforced, so that there is no fear of their extinction.

### Flies Breed in Old Brooms.

During an anti-fly campaign on the Canal zone the breeding source of flies in a Balboa restaurant was found to be in the inner parts of 12 old grease-soaked corn brooms used to sweep the floors.

### Finest of All Epitaphs.

When I lie down for the last time, with my face up toward the stars, I want no finer monument above me than a simple slab with this line on it: "He lived the white life."—Exchange.

### Daily Thought.

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### Point for Picnickers.

The sting of a bee, according to a scientific journal, is only one-thirty-second of an inch long. Your imagination does the rest.—Boston Transcript.

### Great Memorizer.

Wonderful powers of memorizing facts are possessed by a Yorkshire (England) laborer, who has mentally stored away 31,000 items of general information.

### Tongue of the Frog.

The tongue of the frog is fixed to the floor of its mouth, near the lip, when not in use, the tongue lies back, pointing down the throat. The frog is very adept in the use of his tongue.

### A Rare Bird.

A peepster goes in the back door when the front is shut; the chimney when the window is shut, and blows off the roof if the chimney's shut. Let's go.—The Arklight.

### One Man's Success.

An Atchison man's success is said to be due to his knowing just enough about law to keep out of the courts.—Atchison Globe.

Gregorian Calendar Made Trouble.  
The adoption of the Gregorian calendar in England in 1752 led to violent riots, especially at Bristol, where several people were killed.

### Cheerful Algeria.

Algerian women, when married, are permitted to leave their homes but once a week and then only to visit the cemetery.

### Loango Bay Blood Red.

In the bay of Loango the water is blood red, due to reflection of the red bottom soil.

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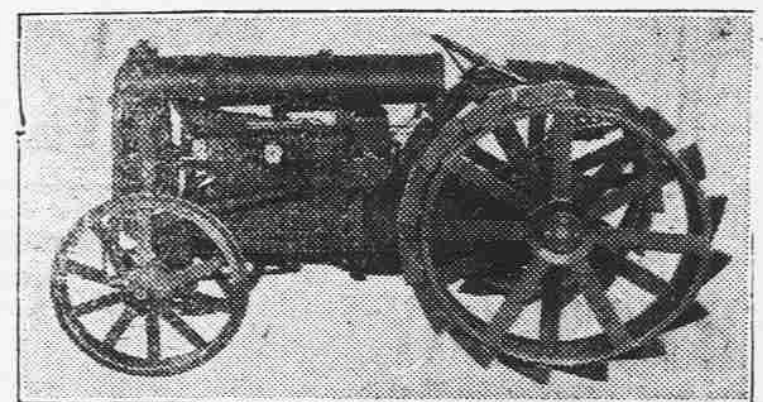
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